UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

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C.R. BARD, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v. :

: ORDER

Civil Action No. 07-2547 (JAG)

LEXINGTON INSURANCE CO.,

Defendant.

GREENAWAY, JR., U.S.D.J.

This matter comes before this Court on the request of Defendant Lexington Insurance Co. ("Defendant") for permission, in accordance with this Court's Pretrial Scheduling Order (Pretrial Scheduling Order ¶¶ 5-6, Oct. 17, 2007), to file a motion for summary judgment, pursuant to FED. R. CIV. P. 56, and to stay discovery pending the resolution of such motion; and it appearing that this Court considered the parties' submissions; and good cause appearing;

IT IS on this 15th day of November, 2007,

ORDERED that Defendant's request for permission to file a motion for summary judgment, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56, be DENIED; and it is further

ORDERED that Defendant's request for a stay of discovery be DENIED; and it is further ORDERED that a copy of this Order be served on all parties within (7) days of the date of entry of this Order.

S/Joseph A. Greenaway, Jr.
JOSEPH A. GREENAWAY, JR., U.S.D.J.